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## BEISEKER NEWS

**BEISEKER.** — Mrs. M. German entered the Holy Cross hospital, Monday, June 13, to undergo a serious operation.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Schmaltz, Mr. and Mrs. A. Scheffelmair, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schmaltz and Mr. Chas. Welsgerber have left by car to attend the annual Lions convention in Billings, Mont. For the occasion L. L. Schmaltz had his car labelled and trimmed to the hilt.

Joe Bosch is riding about in a new black Chev. and Elwood

Leleske is driving a different one. We, of course, mean different to his old one, not different to all other makes.

On Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Bond, Alec Uffelman, E. Kroscher, Frank Elliott, Mrs. Elliott and a very happy collection of Godlieb Raus were seen at the Hand Hills Stampede. The Raus had reason to be happy, their 16-year-old horse won the Hand Hills derby for the third consecutive year. This entitled them to keep the Derby Cup.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Simmons were visitors in Beiseker during the week renewing old acquaintances. They also attended the Ton Fisher-Jean McLean wedding at Acme. Mr. Simmons is now the CNR agent at Craigmyle.

Stuart Garson, minister of justice, passed through Beiseker recently en route to Drumheller. Everyone was out to welcome him. Otto Teitz has started on his basement on the lot beside the

home of Miss Dora Schultz.

The district nurse has been in town giving shots of the new serum to counteract measles.

Mrs. Abatha Velker has been released from the hospital and is convalescing at home.

Mrs. E. P. Hagel attended as delegate, the annual C.W.L. convention in Calgary, June 16, 17 and 18. A number of the other ladies went in on Friday to attend the day's proceedings and the evening banquet.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hagel underwent a tonsillectomy recently.

We are losing our very capable Crown Lumber man in the person of Alfred Scheffelmair. But what is our loss most surely is someone else's gain. We indeed wish Alf our best wishes in his promotion.

Several miles of the road leading out of Beiseker toward Acme are torn up by the big graders.

A plebiscite will be taken re the proposed \$60,000 school to be erected in Beiseker. I would suggest they wait until 30-below weather and take the doubtful up to the old school for a morning with their children.

The Massey-Harris dealers put on a very interesting display on the farm of Baltzar Schmaltz recently.

## Junior Highlights

**BEISEKER.** — The Students' Union held their annual Graduation Dance on Friday, June 10. A splendid crowd was in attendance. The graduation class consisted of four students, Leonard Schmaltz, Helen Hagel, Florence Hagel and Desmond Brosteaux.

On behalf of the teaching staff and the students, we wish to extend to these students the best of luck in the future—and Congratulations!

The annual track meet was held in Beiseker on June 3. Schools participating in these events were: Leveland, Greenfield, Remen, Elba, Birkley, Rosebud Heights and Beiseker.

Awards were given to the following students:

Class A — Boys, Joey Wright. Girls, Gay Schmaltz.

Class B — Boys, Larry Konshuk. Girls, Myra Hoese.

Class C — Boys, Jerry Kindapp. Girls, Bernice Schmaltz.

Class D — Boys, Donavon Heuther. Girls, Delores Schwartzberger.

Class E — Boys, Alois Stern. Girls, Marj Borgardt.

Class F — Boys, James Hagel. Girls, Frances Plante.

Class G — Boys, Leonard Schmaltz. Girls, Doreen Hagel.

With the fine co-operation of the teachers and the students, the day was a huge success.

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## Prog. Conservatives Hold Meeting

**BEISEKER.** — On Thursday, June 9, Mr. Bracken and Mr. Wilde spoke at a rally held by the Progressive Conservative Association

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**TWO SOUTHERN ALBERTA LOVELIES** came up to Edmonton last week to do some election campaigning—but not for the federal election. At left is Calgary Stampede queen candidate, Joyce Shuttleworth, Balzac, and friend Elaine Griffiths, Calgary. Joyce is one of 17 lovely candidates from all over Alberta who are hoping to win the Calgary crown during Stampede week in July.

### Students' Union News

**LAC LA BICHE.**—The Students' Union girls under the able supervision of Mrs. Hayduk cleared over \$200.00 on the booth at the track meet.

The umpires of the ball games at our track meet were Metro Watermanuk, Ross Mitchell, John Mitchell, Jerry Steadman, Mike Macagno and Ernie Coutney. The A.T.A. Sports committee wishes to thank these gentlemen for their assistance at the event.

In points won by various schools the following were omitted: Plamondon 18, Crispy Creek 17, Mangin 6, Big Bay 7, Lile Lake 20, Charron 17, Rich Lake 33, Spruce Valley 21, Sunview 7.

The culmination of our Students' Union activities was the graduation dance held in the Memorial hall on Friday, June 10. Everyone

of Brierville. The last three games played were with winning teams of previous games. In not one game were the five innings played as the great unevenness in scores made it unnecessary to proceed.

You have done extremely well, all of you. May you keep with you always these ideas of fair play and good sportsmanship.

Play up, play up  
And play the game!

### SPORTS

June 5—  
Lac la Biche baseball team won over Plamondon 3-2.  
Lac la Biche baseball team won over Wandering River 4-1.

June 7—  
Boyle and Lac la Biche girls' team tied at 10-10.

June 12—  
Normal baseball team won over Lac la Biche 11-7.  
Normal baseball team won over Hylo 7-5.

### Brierville School Notes

**BRIERVILLE.**—The pupils and teacher of Big Beaver school, Brierville, Alta., were singing on the way back from the divisional sport's meet. They had reason to be happy. What was up? . . .

One of the pupils, Mary Teaslin, won high honors in high jump, throw, broad jump and racing. Winning first prize in each event. She was the only pupil with the grounds with four red ribbons.

The softball team won first prize for rural one-room schools and junior two-room schools—the only school on the grounds to win four games.

The teams played against were Hylo, Rich Lake, Lyle Lake and Charron, scores all in high favor

### Smoky Lake Club Officers

**SMOKY LAKE.**—New officers of the Smoky Lake Lions club are: president, M. F. Cummings; secretary, C. Alfke; first vice-president, J. Semabuk; second vice-president, N. Semenchuk; third vice-president, N. Makareneko.

Tail twister, S. P. Kotyk; lion tamer, N. Skoropad.  
Board of directors consist of: N. Palamarek, Harry Woytkiw, W. Holmes, and T. Dwernychuk, official photographer N. W. Gavinchuk.

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### District Couple Wed In Ashmont Bridal

**ASHMONT.**—The United Church here was the scene of a pretty June wedding recently when Hilda Olive, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Boorse of Anning, Alta., became the bride of Mr. Robert Fossnaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Fossnaugh of Lacombe.

Rev. R. G. Bearlato of St. Paul officiated at the ceremony.

For her wedding the bride chose a gown of white sheer, styled with a fitted bodice that featured a sweetheart neckline. Her long embroidered veil was caught to a coronet, and she carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Kay Boorse, and Miss Genevieve Ziegler of Vegreville. Both wore gowns of ice blue, and floral headresses, and carried bouquets of pink carnations.

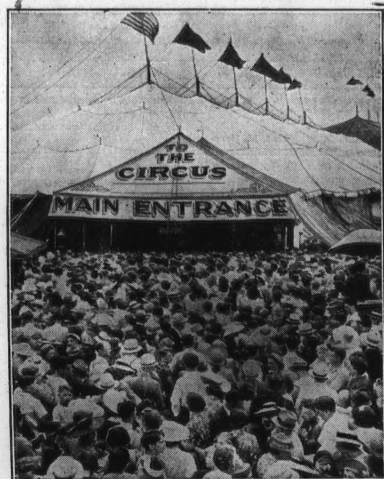
Best man was Mr. John Woods of Lacombe, and ushering the guests was Mr. Jack Draper of Ashmont.

Music for the wedding was played by Mrs. Whitman, and soloist for the occasion was Mrs. F. Smith.

Receiving at a reception held later at the home of the bride's parents, Mrs. Boorse wore a pearl gray frock, light matching hat and corsage of red roses. Mrs. Fossnaugh, mother of the groom, was in a dove gray afternoon dress with accessories to match, and corsage of salmon pink roses.

Leaving on a wedding trip to Calgary and Banff, the bride changed to a powder blue dress, complemented with navy blue accessories.

Later the couple will make their home on the groom's farm at Lacombe.



### GIGANTIC CIRCUS IS A LITTLE TRANSIENT CITY

#### EARLY CROWDS THRONING MIDWAY

The moving municipality of the Great King Bros. Circus covers an area of 12 acres. Its population, according to the last monthly census, consists of 600 people, 125 horses, elephants, camels, zebras and wild animals.

To move their tented enterprise over the country, King Brothers employ convoys. These are divided into sections depending upon the grades to be overcome by the motive power. One convoy is used to haul the menagerie. Another carries the portable stage, costumes, special scenery and electrical apparatus used in this season's colossal spectacle.

King Bros. Circus represents an investment of \$500,000 with a daily expense of \$3,270. Large as the initial sum may seem it is easily understood when elephants are computed at \$5,000 to \$10,000 according to their ability to perform, and trained horses at an average of \$1,000 each. The feeding of the menagerie and the people of this great circus is an item of expense which only hundreds of dollars and perfect system can accomplish.

The gigantic canvas hotel occupied by the circus people includes the largest kitchen in the

world. A force of 20 chefs, cooks and waiters serve over 1,800 meals a day. The cooking is done on huge ranges and in cauldrons and pots of giant proportion heated by steam. Since the majority of this season's performers come from foreign lands, interpreters are carried and the chefs see that special native dishes are prepared for their benefit. All told there are 22 tents in Kingville, and within its confines are spoken no less than 18 languages and dialects. It is a city of many tongues and endless confusions. King Bros. will exhibit in Redwater Saturday, July 2, 1949.

Doors to the menageries will open at 1 and 7 p.m.

The big show will start promptly at 2 and 8 p.m. on account of its length. The King Bros. Circus early last year returned to America after a five year triumphal tour of South America.

### Lions Club Charter Night Held June 6

**MORINVILLE.**—The Morinville Lions Club sponsored by the Lions Club of Edmonton was duly chartered on Monday evening, June 6. There were 100 in attendance which included visitors from Edmonton, Redway and Vegreville.

A. Gordon Kirstine, District Governor, outlined the duties of the various officers of the club and in the presentation of the charter to the club president, Alex Reid, the district governor stressed the importance and value of the Lions Club to Morinville.

President Alex Reid on accepting the charter from the district governor pledged that the Lions Club of Morinville will be of service to the district in all phases of community life.

The sponsoring Edmonton Lions Club presented the newly chartered Morinville Lions with a gong and gavel.

The program commenced with call to order by John I. Stevens and after singing O Canada, invocation prayer was said by Rev. Fr. Merchant.

During the banquet piano selections were rendered by Miss Sheila Reid. Vocal selections by Stan Logan, dancing and music by the Rhythm Boys orchestra was also part of "Charter Night."

### Is there Natural Gas for Export?

At present withdrawal rates there is now enough PROVEN reserves of natural gas to last Alberta 70 years. This does not include potential reserves. Allowing for INCREASED consumption and the portion reserved for export, withdrawals over 50 years would be 11 trillion cubic feet. The Natural Gas Commission accepted geologists' statements that existing reserves will be increased MANY TIMES OVER. Since then there have been many important new discoveries. Minimum estimates of potential reserves are at least 28 trillion cubic feet in the near future, enough to last, WITH EXPORT, 125 years.

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Court was told the 39-year-old man had offered two 12-year-old girls money to go into the bush with him at the Calder Community park.

The children refused to do so and Smith was arrested after the youngsters had told their parents.

In sentencing accused Magistrate Miller said "it is a good thing the girls displayed more sense than you did."

**4 Bills Deal With Gas Export**

Four bills dealing with gas and oil export legislation will be introduced at the special session of the legislature which will open July 4, it was learned Thursday.

In addition to legislation already announced, Hon. Lucien Maynard, attorney-general, Thursday released draft copies of two more bills. One is an act to amend the Public Utilities Act and the other an act to amend the Pipe Line Act.

The minister said the legislation is designed to clarify the duties of the public utilities board while also providing for minor amendments.

The bill to amend the Pipe Line Act provides for copies for all maps, plans and information dealing with pipe lines being filed with the petroleum and natural gas conservation board as well as with the minister of mines and minerals.

Other acts provided for repeal of the Natural Gas Utilities Act and the Pipe Line Regulation Act.

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**Alberta Needs Improvements To Bolster Tourist Trade**

This summer is expected to be another gala year for Canada's tourist industry.

Even in Western Canada with its rough roads and lack of tourist accommodation, officials are predicting a record influx of U.S. travellers.

Some indication of the volume of tourist expectation in northern Alberta this summer comes from the Edmonton tourist information and accommodation bureau.

According to Chamber of Commerce officials nearly 1,000 tourists have visited the bureau since it opened April 4.

**CONFEST WEEK**

In the meantime the Junior Chamber of Commerce started off with a vigorous "courtesy to tourist" campaign this week. "Jaycees" will meet trains, buses and planes, hand out bouquets to women tourists, organize special tours, plane rides, special radio programs and church services, and an all-round fete for one visiting family picked as "typically tourist."

Efforts of the Jaycees to give a big welcome to the tourists is only the first badly-needed step to improve the attitude and treatment of visitors. Canada's \$285,000,000 tourist industry can only keep going if U.S. travellers are willing to come back or recommend the country to their friends.

On a provincial basis, Alberta's tourist turnover is a \$17,100,000 industry annually under present conditions.

The Alberta government spent \$52,000 last year to pep up its advertising program in the U.S. This year more than 250,000 booklets and maps are being printed.

**OVERCROWDING**

But printing and advertising only brings in more tourists to overflow already overcrowded tourist camps and hotels. Edmonton's hotel extensions were still in the distant future, and two motels (\$44,000) being built in the Edmonton area would not be enough to handle the traffic.

Throughout the province many auto courts have been enlarged and improved but there have been no important new developments this year.

Alberta's main highways are in good shape, most of them have recently been resurfaced with new layers of asphalt. But most Alberta roads are still dusty stretches of gravel or bumpy mud roads.

**CONTRAST**

The province's highways are in top condition but they are still a startling contrast to the wide, concrete or solid asphalt highways

in the U.S.

According to Alberta government officials, the province has a potential tourist attendance of 10,000,000 a year. Albertans will have to work a lot harder improving roads, building tourist accommodation and being helpful to visitors before 10,000,000 Americans will take the risk of coming to the country.

**Lack of Water Sends Ducks North**

WINNIPEG.—Lack of surface water in Alberta and Saskatchewan dry areas is resulting in a major shift of breeding ducks to safer waters to the north and east, Manitoba Resources Minister J. S. McDiarmid announced Tuesday.

Waterfowl and water conditions in Manitoba are good, he said.

Mr. McDiarmid, reporting on a closed conference Monday of officials undertaking an extensive waterfowl survey, said many thousands of square miles in Alberta and Saskatchewan which produced an abundance of waterfowl in 1948 are out of commission this year owing to the lack of surface water.

Representatives from the provincial governments of B.C., Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and dominion and United States wildlife associations attended the conference. The meeting was preliminary to a dominion-provincial wildlife conference opening Wednesday at Ottawa.

**Drinking Deplored By United Church**

CALGARY.—The Alberta Conference of the United Church of Canada Friday took a strong stand against drinking and urged members to take definite steps to counteract consumption of alcoholic beverages among church members.

Resolutions, presented by the committee for evangelism and social service, and passed by the conference included motions to call upon ministers and members to practice voluntary total abstinence; to urge all United Church homes to refrain from social drinking in their homes; to request the Alberta government to consider favorably reimposing a palisage tax on beer; to commend the Alberta liquor control board for its refusal to legalize mixed drinking in Calgary and Edmonton and urge that this ban be extended to such centres as Lethbridge, Medicine Hat and Red Deer.

The conference further moved that the liquor control board be urged to "investigate the cause of the higher per capita consumption of beverage alcohol and particularly of beer in Alberta as compared with Saskatchewan, in which there is no public sale of beer to women, and if such a study reveals that the existence of women's beer rooms be a chief factor, that steps be taken to abolish this kind of private profit drinking outlet.

The conference also endorsed the resolution adopted by the board of evangelism and social service in Toronto in March, that it "view with great apprehension the report that the appointment of a Canadian envoy to the Vatican is being considered."

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**Alberta Pensioners Get \$47.50**

Alberta old-age pensioners began receiving maximum pension cheques of \$47.50 a month on June 1.

Increase in the basic pension to a maximum of \$40 a month was announced at the last session of the federal government.

**ELECTION WILL ADD 17 MEMBERS TO THE NEW HOUSE OF COMMONS**

OTTAWA.—Canada's post-election house of commons will have 17 more members than the last and 81 more than the first house after Confederation.

Redistribution added 10 members and seven more result from the entry of Newfoundland, bringing the commons up from 245 to 262 members. The first house in 1867 had 181 members.

Quebec gains the most members—eight—raising its representation to 33. Ontario adds one, moving up to 83. Other provinces gaining are Nova Scotia, from 12 to 13, and British Columbia from 16 to 18.

Two provinces lost members, Manitoba drops from 17 to 16, and Saskatchewan from 21 to 10.

Remaining unchanged are Prince Edward Island, with four, and Alberta with 17.

The Yukon riding has been expected, but still has one member.

The recent redistribution is the first since Confederation in which Quebec has not been used as a yardstick for the whole country. Under the British North America Act, Quebec was given a fixed 65 seats, and the representations of other provinces varied in accordance with the ratio of their populations to that of Quebec.

The new system provides for a fixed 65 seats in the commons and the representation of each province is determined on the basis of the relation of its population to that of the whole of Canada.

Under the old method, the commons membership changed frequently up to 1925. Mostly, it went up gradually, though the 1896 parliament saw a drop of two members from the previous one.

Here are commons membership totals at the start of each parliament:

1867 (Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick), 181; 1872 (Manitoba and British Columbia added), 200; 1874 (P.E.I.), 206; 1878, 206; 1882, 211; 1887 (Saskatchewan, 215; 1891, 215; 1896, 213; 1904 (Yukon), 214; 1908 (Alberta), 221; 1911, 221; 1917, 255; 1921, 255; 1925 and all others up to the present, 245.

Provincial representation has fluctuated considerably through the years.

Ontario started with 82, went as high as 92 and now will have 83. Nova Scotia had 19 originally and went as high as 21. It will have 13 in the new parliament.

New Brunswick had a high of 16 late in the last century and now has 10. Manitoba started with four, rose to 177 and now drops one from that figure. British Columbia began with six, rose to 16 in the 1933 redistribution and now gets two more. Prince Edward Island had six originally and then fell to four in 1904. It may not go below that figure, under the number of its senators.

Britain, Argentina and Chile have agreed to keep their warships out of the Antarctic, to "avoid any misunderstanding." Everyone feels we should have but one "cold" war at a time.

Social hygienists recommend that we talk with our children about sex without being embarrassed. We should put on a bold front and pretend we know just as much about it as they do.

An additional \$7.50 a month is paid to pensioners from the Alberta supplementary pension fund approved at the last provincial legislative session.

Blind persons, as well as pensioners, are eligible to receive the \$47.50 maximum pension.

The increased pension cheques were mailed June 1, public welfare officials said today.

CALGARY.—Barbara Sheila Hope, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hope of Calgary, has been awarded the highest mark for ballet students in western Canada, it was learned Wednesday. The young Scottish-born girl, who moved to Calgary two years ago, won 93 marks out of 100 during a recent examination by the Royal Academy of Dancing.

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## Remains of Girl Found in River

EDMONTON.—The body of an unidentified girl was recovered from the North Saskatchewan river near Shandro Ferry about 60 miles northeast of here, Friday afternoon, RCMP in Edmonton said Saturday.

The body was recovered by Cpl. M. F. Cumming of the Smoky Lake detachment after a district resident reported it. Police said it is believed the body had been in the

river since early spring. There was no evidence of foul play.

Following is the police description of the body: female in late teens; height, 5' 2"; stocky build, medium light brown hair with long bob, teeth even and normal.

The body was clothed with a tweed jacket, long full length maroon dress with gold buttons, maroon shoes. A gold wrist watch was on the arm.

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## Notes From the Beiseker Lions Club

BEISEKER.—The new slate of officers for the Beiseker Lions club for the ensuing year is as follows: president, Leo Schmalz; vice-president, Bill Tidy; secretary-treasurer, Ken Wright; Lion tamer, Alf Scheffelmier; tail twister, Felix P. Schmalz; pianist, Jerry Schissel. Two elected board members, Tom Murray and Adam Velker.

We—all the members of the Beiseker Lions Club, would like to take this opportunity of expressing our appreciation to the retiring president, J. H. Schmalz and his officers for their untiring efforts during the past year. They gave unstintingly of their time and effort and can now look back to a year of great accomplishment with great satisfaction.

Our newly-elected president, Leo Schmalz and our district Governor, Louis L. Schmalz will be visitors to the district convention at Billings, Mont., during the week of June 13th and 18th.

Lions Carl Lohrke, Jerry Schissel, Mr. Nick Velker and their wives were visitors to the Stampe at Hand Hills last week in connection with the Lions Car project. We have not heard the actual results but rumors are that they had a very successful day.

That's the spirit, folks, and many thanks to you. This kind of co-operation will ultimately bring us to our objective by the time our dead-line comes along.

## Juveniles Defeated By Trochu 7-5

BEISEKER.—Thursday, June 9, the Trochu Juveniles played Beiseker at Beiseker. Stan Christenson's pitching proved a bit too speedy for Beiseker. However, Murray Brown and Harvey Olson turned in creditable showings on the mound for the home team.

A few bad throws by the infield really lost the game for Beiseker. Carl E. Schmalz and Jerry Schissel rendered very capable service as umpires although some of the bystanders would lead you to believe otherwise.

Ronnie Walker and H. Hanna were catchers for Beiseker and Trochu respectively.

## Irricana Defeats Beiseker at Irricana

BEISEKER.—On Sunday Beiseker dropped their first league game leaving Irricana in undisputed first place, proving that the oldsters from the south still have a few tricks up their sleeves that the rest of us haven't learned yet.

Batteries:  
Irricana—Gordon Drake, Harold Knight.

Beiseker — Leonard Schmalz, Leo Hagel.

Score—5-4.

## C. Y. O. Girls' Team Downed Twice

BEISEKER.—Thursday, June 9, the Trochu Girls, C.Y.O., came to Beiseker to play softball. Our girls put up a fair showing but came off second best, the score being 12-12. Pitching and catching for Beiseker were Pauline Schmalz and Gwen Verheest, respectively. Anselm Sander was umpire.

On Sunday the girls challenged the All Stars. This time they played batteries, having Paula Pieronek and Catharine Schmalz. The boys had Maxie Terne and Frankie Lemoy.

We don't care to comment on the score. As Paula put it, they just couldn't count that high!

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FOR SALE—Meat and grocery store, very reasonable for quick sale. Very good turnover for 1948. New buildings, 3 rooms for living quarters. Selling out on account of health. A. Shupac, Rochfort Bridge, Alta. C J25-32-J-9-16

FOR SALE—One 1946 Oliver 70 on rubber, with lights and starter, in A1 condition. One John Deere D on steel, in good condition, for brush breaking. Priced to sell. Phone 4, Loughheed, Mr. Fedar. C J25-32

FOR SALE—Four leg, 45-ft. windmill tower in A1 shape. Apply P. C. Campbell, Beiseker, Alta. C J25

FOR SALE—Model U Minneapolis tractor, with new oversize tires. Power take-off, starter and lights. Apply Leo Berreth, Box 203, Beiseker, Alta. C J25

## H. Stelfox to Head Game Association

ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE.—A meeting of the Clearwater and West Country Fish and Game Association was held here to elect a new slate of officers for 1949. At the opening of the meeting Mr. Henry Stelfox gave a brief review of the game situation, the work and the objectives to be reached by the association for the coming year.

The new officers are: president, H. Stelfox; vice-president, R. C. Charlton; second vice-president, B. Hubert; secretary, M. Cowie; treasurer, M. Bradshaw; big game committee chairman, B. Falun; fish committee chairman, M. Bradshaw; Skeet Club president, R. C. Charlton; predator committee chairman, E. Larson.

It was decided that an all-out drive for membership would be the special assignment of each of the present members. The club will purchase crests designed for the association here. The derby fee is to remain the same this year as it was last year.

Mr. Tony Bonifacio, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bonifacio and sister Bernice, Mr. Paride Diamille, all of Edmonton, are visiting at the home of Joe Bonifacio.

Miss Verona Metcalfe of Edmonton is visiting at the home of Mrs. Macor.

Mr. George Cox and Miss Lydia Michette of Edmonton are visiting relatives.

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FOR SALE.—Meat market, \$2500; stock at wholesale price; 11 new buildings, 3 rooms. Turnover for 1948 \$13,000. Very nice place for two people. Alex Shupac, Rochfort Bridge, Alta. C J11-18-25

FOR SALE.—Grade Jersey bull, 7 months, choice animal. Robert Godwin, Peavine. C J11-18-25

FOR SALE.—Massey-Harris Tractor, Model 81 on rubber, starter, battery, 14-ft. international single disc, 30-ft. wind mill tower, 6 volt wind charger. Contact Cliff Larson, Killam. P J-8-15

FOR RENT.—4 S.E. on Battleriver, Price \$40.00. Edna Hart, Opportunity, Wash. Box 114. P J11-18

FOR SALE.—15 tamarac telephone poles and 2,000 willow fence posts for sale, cheap for quick sale. Apply L. J. Miler, Strone. C J11-18-25

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FOR SALE.—Mr. Louis Bouvier of Lac la Biche Mission has one black horse, stallion, 4 years old, for sale. Very quiet horse. For more information call Mr. Louis Bouvier. P J18

FOR SALE.—Two room house across from coal plant south side of track. Apply D. Havrick, P.O. Box 122, Lac la Biche, Alta. P J18-25

FOR SALE.—15-30 McCormick Deering tractor. Recently overhauled, tip top shape. Cash or trade. Box 71, Strone, Alta. C J18-25-32

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# Amazing Progress In Indian Republic

By F. K. Daniels

Here on this continent, few people realize the great developmental strides being made in the new republic of India.

Spending millions of dollars, training thousands of scientists and technicians, the Indian government has formulated tremendous plans to put the traditionally backward nation on its feet.

To those of us who have always regarded India as a mysterious land of maharajahs and untouchables, some of these plans are amazing.

Here is a summary of developments during the past month or two:

## HOUSE-BUILDING

A million houses for workers will be constructed in the next 10 years. Biggest scheme ever undertaken in India, it will cost a total of \$900 million.

The central government will contribute two-thirds of the capital cost as an interest-free loan, while the rest is to be contributed by the provincial governments. It is proposed to build up a sinking fund out of which the loan will be repaid in 25 years.

Houses will each have two rooms, a kitchen with space for storing food and fuel, bathroom, front and back verandas, and a courtyard for single storey houses. There will be provision for schools, shopping centres, parks and playgrounds, dispensaries, community radio receivers, libraries and reading rooms for workers in each colony. Electric light will be provided "as far as possible."

## FILM INDUSTRY

India's film industry ranks second in the world, next only to Hollywood, according to recent estimates. The Indian movie industry produces between 250 and 300 full-length pictures annually. More than \$60,000,000 is invested in the industry.

First movie was produced and screened in Bombay in 1915, and that city is now India's Hollywood. Epics and mythology were the subject matter of early Indian films. Today social, historical, and educational films are preferred. Bombay makes pictures in several languages, but studies in other centres produce movies in the various provincial languages. Indian films are shown in Ceylon, Burma, Malaya and South Africa where there are large Indian populations. A few Indian films with English subtitles have been shown in Europe and America.

## INDIAN TRADE

Trade with Europe will be increased, and India had a national stand at the Paris Trade Fair in May and will also be represented at the Brussels Trade Fair.

New trade offices will be opened

in Brazil, Malaya, Belgium and the Philippines.

India has entered into trade pacts with Poland, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Finland, Yugoslavia, Pakistan, Japan and the Anglo-American zone of Germany.

In the first four months of this year, Canadian exports to India and Pakistan totalled \$37 million, compared with six million dollars for the same period last year.

New trade negotiations have been going on with Egypt and Turkey. A recent trade pact has been signed with Switzerland, whereby India sends the Swiss \$5.7 million of nuts, oil, coffee, manganese ore, and raw jute, and will import \$21 million worth of railway coaches, heavy industrial plant machinery and tools, textiles, and chemicals.

## SPORTS

A sports stadium costing \$900,000 will be built by the fall of 1950 in time for the Asian Olympic meet that year.

To be situated at New Delhi, the stadium will be named after Prime Minister Nehru.

It will provide for cricket, football, hockey, and tennis. There will also be an Olympic section to accommodate athletics, cycling, and swimming.

## FOOD PRODUCTION

Indian government agriculture secretary, K. L. Panjabi, estimated last month that, given a normal season, India's food deficit can be wiped out by 1951. Production must be increased by only 10 per cent, he said.

More land will be cultivated, and seed, fertilizer, and irrigation will be improved.

About 180 tractors have been obtained from the army and are now reclaiming 44,000 acres of land.

More than 600,000 farm and urban refugees have been resettled in the Patricina and East Punjab States Union.

## EDUCATION

India Information Service in Ottawa estimates that "with the possible exception of the U.S., no other country has more students overseas than any other country."

There are now about 4,000 Indian students abroad, of whom 1,226 receive Indian government bursaries. Toronto University's Vincent Massey scholarship was awarded to John Ramakrishnan, lecturer in

# HOME-BREW HEALTHY MAYBE, BUT CERTAINLY NOT LEGAL

Shades of the Roaring Twenties and prohibition were recalled in police court last week, when an Edmonton citizen was fined \$300 and costs for having 70 bottles of homebrew at his home.

The beer had been made with a hop-flavored malt extract sold in department stores, the court was told. Directions on the extract cans tell how to make beer, evidence revealed.

Said the defendant before he was rapped \$300: "I thought it would make a nice healthful drink."

economics at Madras Christian College.

A grant of \$300,000 will be made this year to students of Scheduled Castes (formerly untouchables) and other educationally backward classes including the aboriginal and hill tribes, for higher study, particularly in scientific, technological and professional subjects.

About 5,000 university students in Mysore are spending the summer in villages doing welfare work, cleaning streets, digging pits, and teaching.

# No "Swearing In" On Election Day

Courts of revision of city voters' lists will begin June 9 for a three-day period, it was announced this week.

Voters' lists were being mailed out to Edmonton's 93,000 citizens this week, and persons whose names were left off the list during enumeration may have their added by revising officers.

There will be no "swearing in" of voters at city polls on election, making this the last opportunity to get names on the list.

# Liberal Win in Nfld. Sets Record

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. — Newfoundland has chosen a Liberal government for her first four years as a province of Canada and the legislature will meet in the old colonial building here, June 24.

With two districts still to be heard from, 19 Liberals were elected, five Progressive Conservatives and one Independent. There are 27 seats in Newfoundland and one in Labrador, where the election was deferred to July 25.

Harry Meers, Progressive Conservative leader, suffered personal defeat in St. John's West along with his running mate, Michael F. Harrington.

Liberals piled up smothering majorities in outport districts where 12 Progressive Conservatives lost their deposits for failing to poll one-third of their opponents' total.

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REV. W. BROOKS, Rector  
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1st and 5th Sundays—11:00 a.m.  
2nd and 4th Sundays—7:30 p.m.  
KILLAM—  
1st and 5th Sundays—7:30 p.m.  
2nd Sunday—3:00 p.m.  
3rd Sunday—11:00 a.m.  
LOUGHED—  
1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays—  
3:00 p.m.  
HARDISTY—  
2nd and 4th Sundays—11:00 a.m.  
3rd Sunday—7:30 p.m.

# United Church

REV. M. M. MACLEAN  
Minister  
Sunday, June 19  
Loughed at 12:00 noon.  
Sedgewick at 7:30 p.m.

# Church of the Nazarene

Loughed and Sedgewick  
C. E. RAWSON, Pastor  
LOUGHED  
Sunday, June 19  
Sedgewick—  
Sunday School—10:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship—11:30 a.m.  
Evening Service—7:30 p.m.  
SEDGEWICK—  
(Sedgwick on School Grounds)  
Sunday School Hour—3:00 p.m.  
Afternoon Service—3:45 p.m.

# Killam Baptist Church

REV. ALFRED H. OLSEN  
Minister  
Sunday School—11:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship—12:00 noon  
Evening Service—7:30 p.m.  
Young People's Society—  
8:45 p.m.  
Bible Study, Prayer  
(Wed.)—8:00 p.m.

# Killam Presbyterian Church

MR. H. WALKER  
(Student Minister)  
Sunday School—11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service—7:30 p.m.

# Amisk Lutheran Church

P. S. OLSON, Pastor  
Sunday, June 19  
Worship Service—11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School—10:00 a.m.  
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at 10:00 a.m. We urge all  
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# News From Other Points

## Legion to Assist Farmer Ex-Servicemen

MORINVILLE.—The Morinville Branch of The Canadian Legion are advocating that the Agricultural Service Board which assist in the control of weeds be empowered to assist ex-servicemen farming lands purchased from the Crown.

There are approximately 90 rural municipalities in the province of Alberta, and roughly one-third of this number operate Agricultural Service Boards for the control of weeds and soil conservation. A number of ex-servicemen who purchased land through government assistance have found that their land is badly infested with weeds but as the director has not the authority to sign the agreement, which is necessary, in order to participate in the assistance provided by the boards the ex-serviceman is at a great disadvantage in ridding his land of weeds. This condition is not local as agricultural service boards are being advocated as a necessity for all municipalities in the control of weeds and the service provided should be available to all ex-servicemen farming Crown lands as the present set-up is not conducive to efficient farming.

The following resolution was passed unanimously by the Morinville Branch No. 176 of The Canadian Legion (B.E.S.L.) and forwarded to their Provincial Command for further action:

"Whereas agricultural Service

Boards operating in rural municipalities are in existence for the purpose of benefitting farmers individually and the municipalities as a whole through assistance in controlling weeds and conservation of soil, and

"Whereas, ex-servicemen farming land purchased from Soldier Settlement and Veterans' Land Act cannot take advantage of the service of such boards through the failure of the director to sign the necessary agreements required for this service—the said agreements being essential in order that the boards may assist the farmer with finances, for labor, equipment or material, if and when necessary.

"Therefore be it resolved that the Government be petitioned to permit The Director, Soldier Settlement and Veterans' Land Act to sign the necessary agreements when required in order to permit the ex-serviceman engaged in farming lands purchased from the Crown to take full advantage of the service by the Agricultural Service Boards."

## ST. ALBERT NEWS

ST. ALBERT.—Miss Theresa Michelot left last week for two weeks' holiday in Vancouver.

Eileen Maloney left last Monday for the west coast and will be away for three months.

Mr. J. A. Gaulin, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Gaulin of St. Albert and Mr.

and Mrs. J. Mahe of Legal returned to their homes last Friday after spending eight enjoyable days at Banff.

Mr. Charles Belliveau of Kelowna, B.C., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Belliveau.

Congratulations are extended to Dr. and Mrs. Cuts on the occasion of the birth of a daughter and also to Mr. and Mrs. John Deane, a son.

There was a real epidemic of measles in town last week. Out of 80 pupils in the new school over 70 were absent with this disease.

The teachers and pupils appreciated the holiday on June 6. They had been working at recesses, noons and after school for two track meets, French Festival, French and Catechism exams. It was a nice break before the finals.

The St. Albert Ladies' Fastball team won 12-11 against an All-Star team at Villeneuve picnic on Sunday.

The group committee of the Boy's Movement met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Vogue last Monday night. Those present were Father Gaudet, Mr. and Mrs. Maheux, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kennedy, Mrs. Lamer, Mrs. Sumner and Mr. Atkins. Plans for next money venture were discussed. Some met with the town council which donated \$50 and will pay the boys for helping in a "Clean-up Campaign." The next meeting will be at Mrs. Sumner's the first Monday in July.

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## Special Meeting Held on May 20

MORINVILLE.—The meeting was declared open by the reeve at 2 o'clock p.m.

### DITCH DELEGATION

Messrs. Borle and Volmer called on the district engineer and council in regards to the ditch at Volmer, Alta. The matter was fully discussed with the district engineer and he advised the council that this matter should be taken up with the water resources branch.

### GOV. GRANT 1949

Letter dated May 12, 1949 in regards to the manner in which the department of public works now allocate grants, was now read to the council and explained by the district engineer, Mr. Cullerne; this letter also advised the council that their share for the year 1949 was in the sum of \$25,151.00.

### DISTRICT ROADS

Matter of district roads was also discussed with the district engineer. He advised that any roads that they wished to apply for, for the year 1950 should be sent to the department not any later than September of this year in order that the district highway board could make their decision regarding the same.

It was proposed that the council make all their necessary requests at the next meeting in order that the same may be filed with the department.

### ALLOCATIONS OF GRANT

A long discussion as to the allocating of grants was taken by the council and it was finally agreed to divide the same on the same basis as the divisional allocations on assessment pro-rata.

The engineer advised that half of the total grant must be spent on

district roads and the balance could be spent on main market roads or school bus routes. The council in each their turn gave the district engineer the roads on which they wished the grant to be applied in the municipality, which is as follows:

### ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

Between the minister of public works of the Province of Alberta and the Municipal District of Morinville No. 91.

1. The minister of public works hereby agrees to pay to the said municipal district 60 per cent of the cost of the work on the roads as indicated in the report.

2. The total payment by the department to the said municipal district under this agreement shall not exceed \$25,151.00 payable 100 per cent in treasury orders.

3. The said district agrees to commence work on stated projects within thirty days of this agreement, and complete all work prior to October 31 of the year of this agreement.

4. The said municipal district hereby agrees to carry out the work in a manner approved by and satisfactory to the resident engineer or inspector of the department.

5. The said district hereby agrees to submit all vouchers covering the cost of the work to the said engineer or inspector for the purpose of checking the cost of said work.

6. If in the opinion of the minister the cost of any piece of work undertaken under this agreement exceeds the value of the completed work the municipal district agrees to accept the valuation placed on the work by the minister as the basis on which contribution shall be made.

Moved by Councillor Schafer that this agreement be executed forthwith.

## LAC LA BICHE NEWS

LAC LA BICHE.—Miss Esther Courtney went to Stettler to visit friends.

Mrs. F. Courtney was a business visitor in Edmonton. She also visited with her daughter Annette.

Miss Dot Johnson and Mr. Jim Jonas motored to Tweedie last Sunday where they spent the day with Dot's brother, wife and their small son. They also motored to Caslan where they spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Gordy and daughter Lucille. Mrs. Gordy is a sister to Dot.

The Westby Corp. left Lac la Biche Monday for Boyle where they will continue survey work.

Romeo Courtney and Bill Oadchuk returned to Lac la Biche on Thursday from their trip to the United States.

Ken Foster, a member of the Westby Geophysical crew and formerly of Lloydminster, was killed almost instantly on the highway near the Mission when his truck overturned.

Don Stewart is trucking from Grimsby to Hay River.

Mr. Fred Wilkins of Edmonton is visiting her niece, Mrs. Jake Williams and family, also Mr. Calvert.

Miss Lucille Tatum went to Edmonton for the week-end.

Citizens are reminded of the Lac la Biche Herald letter box at the drug store. Please drop your news items there and don't forget to sign your name to it.

Mr. T. Lett was called to Hardisty on Wednesday to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, who was killed in an automobile accident.

Mr. Frank Koschowski of Spedden is now employed in the Social Credit Treasury Bank here.

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## C. Y. O. Holds Meeting

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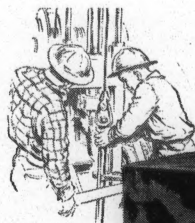
ing was centred around their ball teams. Mr. Val Schmaltz has consented to coach the girls' softball team.

A report was read by Helen Hagel, leader of the Spiritual Committee on the plans for the Corpus Christi Procession.

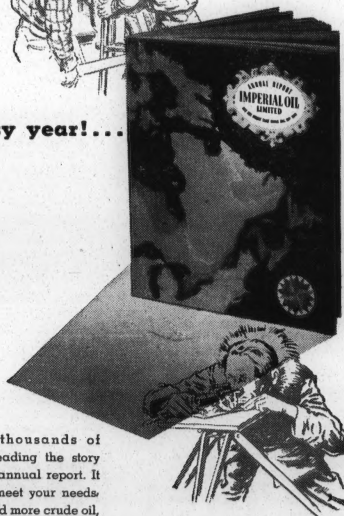
Reading were given by Victoria Hagel, Florence MacDonald and Louise Schmaltz.

The pool was won by Ross Sander. Lunch was served by the social committee.

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This week many thousands of Canadians will be reading the story told in Imperial Oil's annual report. It is a story of how, to meet your needs Imperial last year found more crude oil, produced more crude, transported, refined, distributed and marketed more oil and products than ever before.

To do this we had to spend a lot of money. We sent men ranging over thousands of square miles in the search for new oil fields—and we found new oil. We built new ships... new pipe lines... new refining units... new marketing facilities... and a host of other things. Again last year we spent more money than we earned, but it was an investment in Canada's future as well as our own.

We raised most of the money we needed by borrowing and by selling some of our major investments; the rest was earnings put back into the business after paying dividends.

On the year's business we made a profit of less than a cent a gallon on products sold. This amounted to 4 and 9/10ths cents out of each sales dollar we received.

It was a busy, successful, interesting year. When it began we were sometimes hard pressed to meet all your needs; when it ended supplies were assured. It saw new oil discovered, making Canada less dependent on foreign supplies; new equipment added, helping to serve Canadians better with the products they need.

**Bringing you oil is a big job—and a costly one.**

### If you're interested in facts...

1948 set new records in all phases of Imperial Oil's operations.

If the wells drilled by the company to find and produce oil in Canada during 1948 were placed end to end they would total 163 miles.

Five large tankers were added to the company's fleets; the Leduc pipe line was extended to Edmonton, and plans progressed for a pipe line from Edmonton to Regina; 4,711 tank cars moved more than 150,000 car loads of crude oil and products.

Imperial's eight refineries processed an average of 135,027 barrels per day, a new record.

Sales totalled 1,819,000,000 gallons. On its operations the company earned \$16,973,163—a profit of 93/100 of a cent per gallon for each of the 1,819,000,000 gallons sold. From its investments the company earned \$3,528,977.

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